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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of : Vulpitta, et al.  
For : ANTI-TELESCOPING  
ADHESIVE TAPE PRODUCT  
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**AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

Please amend the above-captioned application as follows:

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

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Claim 2. (Amended) The adhesive tape product of claim 1, wherein said foam strip is 40  
mils (1 mm) thick.

Claim 3. (Amended) The adhesive tape product of claim 1, wherein said foam strip  
surrounding said core has a total thickness of 40 mils (1 mm).

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